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FOR PARTIAL REDUCTION OF THE ILLUMINATION  
INTENSITY

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated August 29, 2003, concerning the above-captioned patent application.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this document.

**A listing of the Claims** begins on page 3 of this document.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: